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SUBJECT: GREEK BALANCE OF PAYMENTS FINANCING-POSSIBLE
NEW EURODOLLQR LOAN
REF: (A) ATHENS 4137; (B) ATHENS 3780

1. EMBASSY HAS OBTAINED COPY OF PLACING MEMORANDUM FOR NEW EURODOLLAR LOAN DESCRIBED IN REFTELS. ALTHOUGH MEMORANDUM DOES NOT SPECIFY TERMS OF LOAN, IT INDICATES AMOUNT IS $175 MILLION AND LISTS SYNDICATE MEMBERS AS FOLLOWS: CREDIT LYONNAIS, BANK OF AMERICA, BANK FUER GEMEINWIRTSCHAFT, AKTIEN-GESELLSCHAFT, BANQUE DE SUEZ ET DE L'UNION DES MINES, CHASE MANHATTAN LIMITED, CITECORP INTERNATIONAL BANK LTD, COMMERZBANK AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT, FIRST CHICAGO LTD, MANU-FACTURERS HANOVER LTD, MORGAN GUARANTY TRUST CO OF NY, UNION DE BANQUES SUISSES, WELLS FARGO LTD.

2. LOCAL CONTINENTAL ILLINOIS MANAGER INFORMED EMBOFF THAT GOVERNOR OF BANK OF GREECE ZOLOTAS PERSONALLY REQUESTED HIS
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WILL TAKE A SMALL SLICE - PERHAPS $10 MILLION). THIS
REQUEST MAY BE A SIGN OF CONCERN OVER THE LACK OF ENTHUSIASM
WHICH LOAN HAS MET IN THE MARKET DUE PRIMARILY TO CHOICE OF
CREDIT LYONNAIS AS LEAD BANK (SEE PARA 4 REF A).
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